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For: IN-PLANE SWITCHING MODE)	Mail Stop Amendment
LIQUID CRYSTAL DISPLAY DEVICE)	

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Sir:

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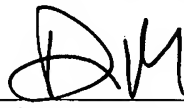
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